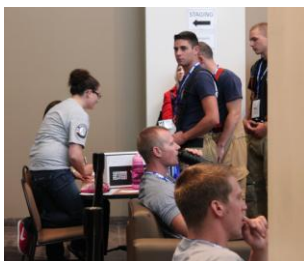




9/11 Memorial Stair Climb, Spokane, WA

Bank of America Building



AmeriCorps Volunteers with Spokane Mayor, Mary Verner and participating firefighters

On the morning of September 11th, 2011, **31 New ESD101 AmeriCorps Members** assisted **260 fire service members** in the Memorial Stair Climb held in downtown Spokane. Fire service members convene in high-rise buildings across the United States to climb **110 stories** as a tribute to their fallen brothers. Some use air pack or carried hoses; many in full turn-out gear; others were accompanied by rescue dogs. Each climber carries the photograph and biographical sketch of a firefighter who was lost on September 11, 2001. Memorial Stair Climb is not a race, but an opportunity to honor and remember the **343 FDNY members** who selflessly gave their lives so that others might live.

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